

REMARKS

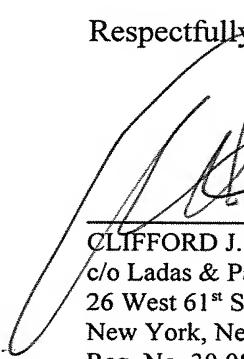
Careful consideration has been given to the Official Action of September 18, 2009 and reconsideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

The Examiner's indication that claims 1, 3, 6, 8-14 and 16-19 have been allowed has been noted with appreciation.

Claims 4 and 5, which had been withdrawn, have now been canceled, thereby leaving only the allowed claims in this application.

In view of the above action and comments, it is respectfully submitted that the application as now presented is in condition for allowance and early notice thereof is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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